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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 19, 2006, please enter the amendments and remarks contained on the following pages, which are summarized below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.